



Year 2
Summer 1

Welcome back, we hope you had a lovely, relaxing break. Thank you for your support last half term and we look forward to another great half term. Below please find information about your child's learning this half term and how you can support them with this.

Many thanks; Mrs Henderson, Mrs Kates, Mrs Edwards, Mrs Dunaway, Mrs Porter, Mrs Barnett, Miss Harbour, Mrs Jackson, Mrs Alderson



Our topic is London

Reminders

PE - Monday
Forest Schools - Monday
Library - Monday
Zumba - Friday
Homework - Due in Tuesday



G- Find out what is coming up special about the Queen. Can you send her a letter to celebrate her achievements?
R- The London Marathon is 26.2m. How far can you run?
O - Using recycling, can you make a model of a famous London Landmark?
W- Make a leaflet to show how what you have learnt about London?

English

We will be reading and exploring leaflets before creating our own all about the attractions and landmarks found in London. We will also be exploring Steve Armstrong's series of the "The Queens clothing" and creating our own Queen's adventure stories. In **writing**, we will be learning to use possessive apostrophes, subordinating conjunctions and a range of sentence types to interest the reader. In **phonics**, we will be exploring and learning to spell words containing the suffixes (ending of words) ness and ment. In **guided reading**, we will be locating key information within a text as well as learning how to use alphabetically ordered texts to retrieve information.

Maths

We will be practising solving number sentences involving all four operations, using an effective method such as drawing dienes or an empty number line.
We will also be exploring measuring length, weight and capacity in standard measures. Then we will be learning how to tell the time to the nearest 5-minute interval.

Topic

In **science**, we will be investigating animals and their young. We will look at how they grow, what they eat and what they do to survive. In **history**, we will be studying The Great Fire of London, looking at the reasons it started and spread so quickly as well as what we learnt from the disaster. In **art**, we will be exploring the symbols of London including the underground symbols and tube map. We will be learning the skill of printing to create our own Cath Kitson inspired tote bags. In **Computing**, we will be creating our own games using simple coding.

Key Dates

5th May - Non-uniform day
6th May - Class photos
13th May - Sports day

Thank you for your continued support.